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Your Submission

I am very concerned about this proposed project on many levels and believe that this project should not proceed at all. Based on these reasons.

Affects to environment both Marine and Seabirds.
Economic impacts.
Tourism and recreational fishing.
Commercial fishing.
Pollution including light pollution.
Visual eyesore.

In response to affects to the Marine environment, it has come to my attention that the mitigation methods are insignificant when it come to construction.

The reduction of noise using bubble curtains only reducing by 10-20db when construction noise is between 220-250db. This will cause extreme harm to our fragile marine ecosystem not to mention potential death for whales,dolphins and seals but will completely decimate the food chain from micro plankton and larvae then throughout the entire column.

No food, no fish/whales. No fish, no birds either.

You also state that your whale spotting is limited to 6.6km. Underwater noise at pole driving levels can travelling for more than 50km radius.

Your project will take 7 years to construct, the suffering our marine have to endure during this time is incomprehensible!

Then there is the bird deaths that your project doesn't even try and hide. You openly admit that this project will kill birds and the solution is we will raise the blades 10m. This solution is supposed to reduce deaths by 40%? What number of bird deaths were expected to be kill before this mitigation and what number of bird deaths do you expect now?

Nobody can answer these questions then this is grounds for this project not to proceed alone. We have 9 endangered and critically endangered bird species in your zone alone.

Then there are economic and tourism factors.

Our communities rely on tourism and fishing is the primary attraction. Upset that balance with continued construction over potentially a decade and there go our small towns. Then we have issues with turbines blades braking, shedding micro plastics into our pristine environment, oil leakage and potentially massive clean ups along 90 miles of coastline. Not mention the possibility of dead whales on our beach aswell.

Our precious small coastal towns will never be the same again, changed forever!

Then there is the fact that the turbines are completely inefficient and are lucky to produce 30% of stated output and produce zero electricity when the wind doesn't blow potentially causing blackouts.

Then there is the ever increasing price of electricity with more renewables in the mix and this project hasn't even been built yet!

Then we have the visual eyesore that these turbines present and the light pollution at night will be detrimental to viewing the southern aurora, but this a minor concern in regards to the more pressing issue I've mentioned above.

There is also a massive concern in relation to our commercial fishermen and the loss of and industry and locally sourced fresh seafood that this project will dramatically impact! I don't want seafood from China.

No amount of monetary compensation can make up for that loss.

And then there is the cumulative affects that all proposed components will have on our region just not star of the South. We could be seeing construction off our pristine coastline for more than a decade and complete decimation of the reasons why we in the community choose to live on the 90 Mile Beach.

This project cannot go ahead, the industrialisation of our pristine 90 Mile Beach is non negotiable.

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